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To whom it may concern:

Pursuant to Section 536.175, RSMo, the Missouri Department of Conservation has concluded the required periodic rule review.

Enclosed is a copy of the report, including an appendix summarizing comments received and the agency's response.

The periodic rule review report can also be found, as required, on the Department website at https://mdc.mo.gov/about-us/about-regulations.

If there are any questions, please contact Laura Conlee, Deputy Director, Department of Conservation, P.O. Box 180, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0180 or 573-751-4115.

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Periodic Rule Review Report

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Periodic Rule Review

Missouri Department of Conservation

Chapter 1 Wildlife Code: Organization

Rule Number	Rule Title	Date of Adoption or Last Amendment	Is rule necessary?	Is rule obsolete?	Does rule overlap, duplicate, or conflict with other rules? (state, federal, local)	Can a less restrictive or alternative rule accomplish same purpose?	Can rule be modified to reduce regulatory burden or eliminate unnecessary paperwork?	Does the rule properly incorporate material by reference?	For rules affecting small business: does the public purpose or interest for adopting justify continued existence of rule?	Appendix A-Comments Received 7/1/25-8/31/25	Notes
3 CSR 10-1.010	Organization and Methods of Operation	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Chapter 2 Wildlife Code: Forest Crop Lands

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3 CSR 10-2.020	Forest Cropland	7/30/2016	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Chapter 3 Wildlife Code: Monetary Values for Fish and Wildlife

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3 CSR 10-3.010	Monetary Values Established for Fish and Wildlife	3/18/2018	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	N/A	0	

Chapter 4 Wildlife Code: General Provisions

Rule Number	Rule Title	Date of Adoption or Last Amendment	Is rule necessary?	Is rule obsolete?	Does rule overlap, duplicate, or conflict with other rules? (state, federal, local)	Can a less restrictive or alternative rule accomplish same purpose?	Can rule be modified to reduce regulatory burden or eliminate unnecessary paperwork?	Does the rule properly incorporate material by reference?	For rules affecting small business: does the public purpose or interest for adopting justify continued existence of rule?	Appendix A-Comments Received 7/1/25-8/31/25	Notes
3 CSR 10-4.105	Title; Authority	1/1/1988	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.110	General Prohibition; Applications	5/30/2016	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.111	Endangered Species	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-4.113	Ginseng	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-4.117	Prohibited Species	8/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.118	Public Use of Certain Department Buildings	3/1/1999	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.120	Boundary Waters	12/31/1957	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.125	Inspection	3/1/2000	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.130	Owner May Protect Property; Public Safety	10/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.135	Transportation	6/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.136	Giving Away Wildlife	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

3 CSR 10-4.137	Wildlife Identification	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.138	Possession and Daily Limit	1/1/1996	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.140	Possession, Storage and Processing	6/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.141	Right to Possess Wildlife	3/1/2003	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.145	Preparing and Serving Wildlife	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-4.150	Legality of Wildlife Taken Outside of Missouri	1/15/1993	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10- 4.200	Chronic Wasting Disease; Management Zone	2/29/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	N/A	0	

Chapter 5 Wildlife Code: Permits

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3 CSR 10-5.205	Permits Required: Exceptions	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.210	Permits to be Signed and Carried	9/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.215	Permits and Privileges: How Obtained; Not Transferable	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.216	Permits and Privileges: Revocation	3/1/2001	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.220	Resident and Nonresident Permits	2/28/2022	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	1	A response to the comments received is provided in Appendix A.
3 CSR 10-5.222	Youth Pricing: Deer and Turkey Permits	5/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Rescinded 1/1/2026
3 CSR 10-5.225	Permits: Permit Issuing Agents; Service Fees; Other Provisions	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.250	Daily Hunting or Fishing Tags	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.300	Apprentice Hunter Authorization	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.310	Resident Lifetime Conservation Partner Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.315	Resident Lifetime Fishing Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

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3 CSR 10-5.320	Resident Lifetime Small Game Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.324	Resident Lifetime Trapping Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.330	Resident Small Game Hunting and Fishing Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.331	Resident National Guard and Reserve Service Small Game Hunting and Fishing Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.340	Resident Fishing Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.345	Resident Small Game Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.351	Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.352	Resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.359	Resident Managed Deer Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.360	Resident Archer's Hunting Permit	6/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.365	Resident Turkey Hunting Permits	6/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.370	Resident Trapping Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.425	Resident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.430	Trout Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.435	Migratory Bird Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.436	Resident Conservation Order Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.440	Daily Fishing Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.445	Daily Small Game Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.460	Licensed Hunting Preserve Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.465	Three-Day Licensed Hunting Preserve Hunting Permit	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.535	White River Border Lakes Permit	3/1/2001	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.540	Nonresident Fishing Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

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3 CSR 10-5.545	Nonresident Small Game Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.551	Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	1	A response to the comments received is provided in Appendix A.
3 CSR 10-5.552	Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.554	Nonresident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.559	Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.560	Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.565	Nonresident Turkey Hunting Permits	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.567	Nonresident Conservation Order Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.570	Nonresident Furbearer Hunting and Trapping Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	1	A response to the comments received is provided in Appendix A.
3 CSR 10-5.576	Nonresident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.579	Nonresident Landowner Firearms Turkey Hunting Permits	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.580	Nonresident Landowner Archer's Hunting Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.600	Resident Firearms Deer Management Assistance Program Permit	5/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.605	Nonresident Firearms Deer Management Assistance Program Permit	1/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.700	Resident Antlered Elk Hunting Pernut	12/30/2019	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

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3 CSR 10-5.705	Resident Landowner Anterled Elk Hunting Permit	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.710	Resident Antlerless Elk Hunting Permit	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.800	Resident Ginseng Harvester Permit	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.805	Nonresident Ginseng Harvester Permit	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.900	Resident Black Bear Hunting Permit	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-5.950	Hunting, Fishing, and Trapping Permit Pricing: Permit Fees; Permit Replacement Cost	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Chapter 6 Wildlife Code: Sport Fishing: Seasons, Methods, Limits

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3 CSR 10-6.405	General Provisions	5/6/8175	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.410	Fishing Methods	3/1/2011	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.415	Restricted Zones	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.505	Black Bass	3/1/2019	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-6.510	Channel Catfish, Blue Catfish, Flathead Catfish	2/28/2022	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

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3 CSR 10-6.515	Crappie	3/1/2019	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.520	Muskellunge, Northern Pike, Grass Pickerel, Chain Pickerel	2/28/2007	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.525	Paddlefish	2/28/2022	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.530	Goggle-eye (Ozark Bass, Rock Bass, and Shadow Bass) and Warmouth	3/1/2018	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.533	Shovelnose Sturgeon	4/30/2009	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.535	Trout	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.540	Walleye and Sauger	4/30/2009	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-6.545	White Bass, Yellow Bass, Striped Bass	3/1/2014	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.550	Other Fish	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.605	Live Bait	0830/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.610	Mussels and Clams	3/1/2015	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.615	Bullfrogs and Green Frogs	4/30/2009	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-6.620	Turtles	3/1/2018	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Chapter 7 Wildlife Code: Hunting: Seasons, Methods, Limits

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3 CSR 10-7.405	General Provisions	6/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.410	Hunting Methods	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	2	A response to the comments received is provided in Appendix A.
3 CSR 10-7.412	Landowner Application	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.415	Quail: Seasons, Limits	2/28/2007	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.420	Rabbits: Seasons, Limits	3/1/2001	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.425	Squirrels: Seasons, Limits	3/1/2010	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.427	Groundhogs: Seasons, Limits	2//28/05	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.430	Pheasants: Seasons, Limits	3/1/2015	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.431	Deer Hunting Seasons: General Provisions	6/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.432	Deer: Archery Hunting Season	11/30/2017	YES	NO	No	No	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.433	Deer: Firearms Hunting Season	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.434	Deer: Landowner Privileges	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.435	Deer: Special Harvest Provisions	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.436	Deer: Managed Hunts	5/15/2004	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.437	Deer: Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit Availability	7/1/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.438	Deer: Regulations for Department Areas	3/1/2011	YES	NO	NO	NO	N0	YES	N/A	0	
3/CSR 10-7.439	Deer: Chronic Wasting Disease Management Program; Permit Availability, Methods, Limits	08/3082021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.440	Migratory Game Birds and Waterfowl: Seasons, Limits	5/15/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.441	Crows: Seasons, Methods, Limits	3/1/2001	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.445	Bullfrogs and Green Frogs: Seasons, Methods, Limits	3/1/2011	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

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3 CSR 10-7.450	Furbearers: Hunting Seasons, Methods	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	1	A response to the comments received is provided in Appendix A.
3 CSR 10-7.455	Turkeys: Seasons, Methods, Limits	12/31/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.600	Deer Management Assistance Program	5/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.700	Elk Hunting Seasons: General Provisions	08/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.705	Elk: Hunting Season	4/15/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.710	Elk: Landowner Privileges	4/15/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.715	Elk: Regulations for Department Areas	2/28/2022	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.900	Black Bear Hunting Season: General Provisions	4/15/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-7.905	Black Bear Hunting Season: Application and Draw Process	4/15/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Chapter 8 Wildlife Code: Trapping: Seasons, Methods

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3 CSR 10-8.505	Trapping	8/30/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-8.510	Use of Traps	6/30/2022	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	4	A response to the comments received is provided in Appendix A.

Chapter 9 Wildlife Code: Confined Wildlife: Privileges, Permits, Standards

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3 CSR 10-9.105	General Provisions	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.106	Confined Wildlife Permits: How Obtained, Replacements	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.110	General Prohibition; Applications	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.220	Wildlife Confinement Standards	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.223	Wildlife Movement: Certification, Requirements	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.230	Class I Wildlife	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.240	Class II Wildlife	8/30/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.250	Class III Wildlife	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.350	Class I Wildlife Breeder Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.351	Class II Wildlife Breeder Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.352	Class III Wildlife Breeder Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	

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3 CSR 10-9.353	Privileges of Class I and Class II Wildlife Breeders	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.354	Privileges of Class III Wildlife Breeders	2/28/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.359	Class I and Class II Wildlife Breeder: Records Required	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.360	Class III Wildlife Breeder: Inventory and Records Required	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	`YES	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-9.370	Wildlife Exhibitor Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.371	Wildlife Exhibitor Privileges	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.372	Wildlife Exhibitor Permit: Records Required	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.415	Wildlife Rehabilitation Permit	4/30/2009	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-9.420	Wildlife Hobby Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-9.425	Wildlife Collector's Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.430	Bird Banding	3/1/2011	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-9.440	Resident Falconry Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-9.442	Falconry	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-9.560	Licensed Hunting Preserve Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.565	Licensed Hunting Preserve: Privileges	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-9.566	Licensed Hunting Preserve: Records Required	8/30/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.570	Hound Running Area Operator and Dealer Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.575	Hound Running Area: Privileges, Requirements	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	

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3 CSR 10-9.625	Field Trial Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.627	Dog Training Area Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.628	Dog Training Area: Privileges	4/30/2009	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.640	Licensed Trout Fishing Area Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.645	Licensed Trout Fishing Area Permit: Privileges, Requirements	3/1/2010	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-9.950	Confined Wildlife Permit Pricing: Permit Fees; Other Fees; Permit Replacement Cost	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	

Chapter 10 Wildlife Code: Commerical Permits: Seasons, Methods, Limits

Rule Number	Rule Title	Date of Adoption or Last Amendment	Is rule necessary?	Is rule obsolete?	Does rule overlap, duplicate, or conflict with other rules? (state, federal, local)	Can a less restrictive or alternative rule accomplish same purpose?	Can rule be modified to reduce regulatory burden or eliminate unnecessary paperwork?	Does the rule properly incorporate material by reference?	For rules affecting small business: does the public purpose or interest for adopting justify continued existence of rule?	Appendix A-Comments Received 7/1/25-8/31/25	Notes
3 CSR 10-10.705	Commercialization	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.707	Resident Fur Dealer's Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.708	Nonresident Fur Dealer's Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.715	Resident and Nonresident Fur Dealers: Reports, Requirements	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.720	Commercial Fishing Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.722	Resident Roe Fish Commercial Harvest Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.724	Nonresident Mississippi River Roe Fish Commercial Harvest Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	

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3 CSR 10-10.725	Commercial Fishing: Seasons, Methods	2/28/2022	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.726	Reciprocal Privileges: Commercial Fishing; Commercial Waters	8/30/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.727	Record Keeping and Reporting Required: Commercial Fishermen	3/1/2018	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.728	Roe Fish Dealer Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.732	Tag and Release Fishing Promotion Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.735	Sale of Live Bait	8/30/2014	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.739	Fish Utilization Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.743	Commercial Establishments	8/30/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.744	Commercial Deer Processing: Permit, Privileges, Requirements	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.767	Taxidermy; Tanning: Permit, Privileges, Requirements	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.768	Sales and Possession of Wildlife Parts and Mounted Specimens	12/30/2019	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.771	Commercial Permits: How Obtained, Replacements	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.788	Resident Commercial Live Coyote and Fox Trapping Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.789	Resident Commercial Live Coyote and Fox Trapping: Privileges, Seasons, Methods, Requirements	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.800	Resident Ginseng Dealer Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.805	Nonresident Ginseng Dealer Permit	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.810	Ginseng Dealers: Privileges, Recordkeeping, Reporting Requirements	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-10.950	Commercial Permit Pricing: Permit Fees; Other Fees; Permit Replacement Cost	1/1/2026	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	

Chapter 11 Wildlife Code: Special Regulations for Department Areas

Rule Number	Rule Title	Date of Adoption or Last Amendment	Is rule necessary?	Is rule obsolete?	Does rule overlap, duplicate, or conflict with other rules? (state, federal, local)	Can a less restrictive or alternative rule accomplish same purpose?	Can rule be modified to reduce regulatory burden or eliminate unnecessary paperwork?	Does the rule properly incorporate material by reference?	For rules affecting small business: does the public purpose or interest for adopting justify continued existence of rule?	Appendix A-Comments Received 7/1/25-8/31/25	Notes
3 CSR 10-11.105	Title; Authority	9/30/2001	Y	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.110	General Provisions	7/1/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.111	Commercial Use	7/1/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-11.112	Photography and Videography	7/1/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	YES	0	
3 CSR 10-11.115	Closings	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.120	Pets and Hunting Dogs	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.125	Field Trials	3/1/2019	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-11.130	Vehicles, Bicycles, Horses, and Horseback Riding	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.135	Wild Plants, Plant Products, and Mushrooms	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.140	Camping	2/29/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.145	Tree Stands	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.150	Target Shooting and Shooting Ranges	4/30/2009	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.155	Decoys and Blinds	8/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-11.160	Use of Boats and Motors	2/28/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.165	Bullfrogs and Green Frogs	3/1/2012	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.180	Hunting, General Provisions and Seasons	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at

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3 CSR 10-11.181	Turkey Hunting	8/30/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.182	Deer Hunting	3/1/2011	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.184	Quail Hunting	2/28/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.185	Dove Hunting	2/28/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.186	Waterfowl Hunting	2/28/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.187	Trapping	2/28/2005	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.190	Elk Hunting	2/28/2022	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.191	Black Bear Hunting	2/28/2021	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.200	Fishing, General Provisions and Seasons	2/29/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.205	Fishing, Methods and Hours	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.210	Fishing, Daily and Possession Limits	2/28/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.215	Fishing, Length Limits	9/18/2023	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-11.220	Taking Feral Swine	8/30/2020	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Chapter 12 Wildlife Code: Special Regulations for Areas Owned by Other Entities

Rule Number	Rule Title	Date of Adoption or Last Amendment	Is rule necessary?	Is rule obsolete?	Does rule overlap, duplicate, or conflict with other rules? (state, federal, local)	Can a less restrictive or alternative rule accomplish same purpose?	Can rule be modified to reduce regulatory burden or eliminate unnecessary paperwork?	Does the rule properly incorporate material by reference?	For rules affecting small business: does the public purpose or interest for adopting justify continued existence of rule?	Appendix A-Comments Received 7/1/25-8/31/25	Notes
3 CSR 10-12.101	Title; Authority	9/30/2016	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-12.105	Wildlife Refuges	9/30/2001	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

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3 CSR 10-12.109	Closed Hours	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-12.110	Use of Boats and Motors	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-12.115	Bullfrogs and Green Frogs	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-12.125	Hunting and Trapping	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-12.130	Fishing, General Provisions and Seasons	4/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-12.135	Fishing, Methods	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-12.140	Fishing, Daily and Possession Limits	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-12.145	Fishing, Length Limits	8/30/2025	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	Changes to this regulation were pending at the time of the review.
3 CSR 10-12.150	Fishing, Trout Parks	2/29/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	
3 CSR 10-12.155	Fishing, Stone Mill Spring Branch	1/30/2011	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

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3 CSR 10-12.160	Outdoor Recreational Access Program	7/30/2016	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Chapter 20 Wildlife Code: Definitions

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3 CSR 10-20.805	Definitions	8/30/2024	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A	N/A	0	

Appendix A

Public Comment Period: July 1, 2025 – August 31, 2025

Created	Name	Email	Address	City	County	State	Zip	Regulation: Title	Support Level	Comment	MO Department of Conservation Response
8/18/2025 16:53	Martin Brice	martybrice77@gmail.com	114 NW State Route 131	Holden		Missouri	64040	3 CSR 10-5.220: Resident and Nonresident Permits	Amend this rule	The out of state hunters are ruining deer and turkey hunting for MO residents. The permit price needs to be raised like our neighboring states and a draw system like our neighboring states. This is crazy what these people are doing, they're ruining hunting for MO residents. I leased 300 acres in Harrison County since 1999. The same piece of property from the same family. Out of state hunters from Alabama came in and offered 4 times what I was paying for the land and I dont think the land is worth that much money, nor did any of the other people I hunt with. As I know a lot of people in the area because I have hunted there for so long. The residents in and around NW MO are getting fed up with these people as well, being complete jerks to the local community, acting like they own everything and so on. They only come here to shoot big bucks. They also need to be made to shoot does as well. I think the permit fees need to increase, a lottery system for tags and they need to shoot at least one doe before they can kill a buck. I also believe if people had to kill a buck before a doe, or nonresidents kill a buck before a doe it would help our buck to doe ratio and help stop the spread of CWD. This is very frustrating as I have hunted deer for over 30 years, I have taken my wife hunting and she has killed deer(she never hunted in her life til I took her) all 3 of my children have deer hunted and successfully harvested deer. Now because we ar being over ran with non resident hunters they're taking the hunting privileges away from MO residents. This cycle will eventually lead to very few MO residents being able to hunt and only non residents being able to hunt. I believe it is your duty to look after MO residents and not the out of state hunters that are ruining hunting for MO residents.	Department staff are currently reviewing options related to nonresident hunter participation. Information gained from harvest data, public input, surveys, and public comment opportunities will help inform any recommendations that come forward on this topic.

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7/4/2025 9:52	Thomas E Lowery	tommy8464@gmail.com	12550 State Road CC	Festus	MO	Missouri	63028	3 CSR 10-5.551: Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit	Amend this rule	I believe the non- residents of Missouri should have to pay the fee (reciprocal fee or greater of their home state) for the privilege of any hunting or fishing in the state of Missouri. There should also be a draw system for non-resident hunters for deer and turkey permits. Example- As of 2025, Utah doubled their price for non-resident elk permits. Colorado virtually eliminated over the counter elk tags and went to a point based system. Missouri should reciprocate. This would greatly enhance resident opportunities and generate more income that the Missouri Conservation Department could use to maintain and enhance our wildlife resources, ie. duck, deer, and turkey habitats and opportunities.	Department staff are currently reviewing options related to nonresident hunter participation. Information gained from harvest data, public input, surveys, and public comment opportunities will help inform any recommendations that come forward on this topic.
7/15/2025 19:03	Tim Bair	timbair2@gmail.com				Illinois	65536	3 CSR 10-5.570: Nonresident Furbearer Hunting and Trapping Permit	Amend this rule	Would like to see non-resident landowner fur bearer trapping permit at reduced cost. May help promote trapping with landowners/land managers since fur prices are so depressed. Also may compliment the extended spring trapping season on private property, presuming purpose is nest predator management.	In the last decade, on average, the Department has seen a slow but steady increase in recreational trapping in Missouri. Because of this increase in trapping activity, the price of fur buyer permits was recently lowered, for both residents and non-residents, in an attempt to help with sales of furs. Staff also continually review the prices of trapping permits for both residents and nonresidents to help promote trapping in the state.
7/21/2025 20:34	Isaac Kauffman	isaackauffman05@gmail.com	803 Carrington	Macon	Macon	Missouri	63552	3 CSR 10-7.410: Hunting Methods	Repeal this rule	There are more raccoons than there has ever been in this area. And at our farm them and coyotes are not only pests but they are threats to our livestock and other young big game animals. I am proposing that raccoons and coyotes should be hunted with thermal/nightvision year round without the need for dogs. Coyote thermal season is also limited as of now. Coyotes range all across the United States and more. He lives in the snow at forty below Or in Malibu by the sea. I need this thermal hunting season to be extended to year round. Thank you for your consideration and opportunity to comment.	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The extension of the use of artifical light, night vision, and thermal imagery to hunt coyotes passed and was effective Jan. 1, 2026. Staff continue to review the use of these methods to take other species.

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7/22/2025 10:32	Kenny Martin	hilltoparchery@hotmail.com	24065 E 240th St	Eagleville	Missouri	Missouri	64442	3 CSR 10-7.410: Hunting Methods	Amend this rule	Please consider amending the thermal rule to allow hunting with thermals for coyote and other nest predators from January 1 to September 30Thank you	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The extension of the use of artifical light, night vision, and thermal imagery to hunt coyotes passed and was effective Jan. 1, 2026. Staff continue to review the use of these methods to take other species.

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7/18/2025 10:28	Keegan Williams	keegs0524@gmail.com	2901 SW 10th Ter	Lees Summit	Missouri	Missouri	64081	3 CSR 10-7.450: Furbearers: Hunting Seasons, Methods	Amend this rule	I am in agreeance with the proposed expansion of furbearer hunting and trapping season. I think that the proposed dates that would extend the use of artificial light, night vision, and thermal imagery equipment to 252 days from Jan. 1 through Sept. 30, excluding the prescribed spring turkey hunting season is a good timeframe and does not interfere with deer season. I would also like to add that I think that ground nesting predators ex: Racoons, Skunks, and Opossums should be added as having the ability to target these animals at night with the use of artificial light, night vision, and thermal imagery equipment. I think this would help Missouri see a increase in our declining turkey population as this allows for individuals to keep the nest raiding predators numbers in check. My final proposed amendment to this rule would be to allow Foxes and Bobcats be taken during this season extension January 1st through September 30th with the use of artificial light, night vision, and thermal imagery equipment. Right now the way that Furbearer season is now foxes may be taken from November 15, 2025 to January 31, 2026 and with a Daily limit: Any number, Possession limit: Any number. Again as the Furbearer season is now bobcats may be taken from November 15, 2025 to February 28, 2026 and with a Daily limit: Any number, Possession limit: Any number. If there was a concern for the number of foxes and bobcats harvested there would not be a unlimited number as it is now. If this is a concern though I think that hunters should have the ability to purchase 3 tags each for both Fox and Bobcat to use during the thermal season. If this is allowed I think that the hunters should have to telecheck the bobcats and foxes like we do currently for deer and turkey. These are my thoughts and if MDC would like to be in contact with me to discuss this I am more than happy to do so.	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The extension of the use of artifical light, night vision, and thermal imagery to hunt coyotes passed and was effective Jan. 1, 2026. Staff continue to review the use of these methods to take other species.

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7/8/2025 12:53	Linda Florea	clflorea@marktwain.net				Missouri	63438	3 CSR 10-8.510: Use of Traps	Repeal this rule	We as doggers DO NOT need this. I am worried about my pets.	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The proposed changes to this rule were withdrawn.
7/9/2025 17:22	Amber Megee	megeeamber@gmail.com	300 N Gilead St	Ewing	Lewis	Missouri	63440	3 CSR 10-8.510: Use of Traps	Repeal this rule	I am worried about my house dogs getting caught these in these life ending traps.	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The proposed changes to this rule were withdrawn.
7/9/2025 17:25	Stacy Florea	stacyflorea12@icloud.com	2788 Hwy P	Durham	Marion	Missouri	63438	3 CSR 10-8.510: Use of Traps	Repeal this rule	Please do not allow for this. I am worried about my cats getting caught in the traps along with the other pets/wildlife in the area.	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The proposed changes to this rule were withdrawn.
7/9/2025 17:25	Michelle Megee	megee04@hotmail.com			Lewis	Missouri	63452	3 CSR 10-8.510: Use of Traps	Repeal this rule	I am worried about my dogs getting caught in these life ending traps.	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The proposed changes to this rule were withdrawn.
7/3/2025 15:45	Devon Daniels	Blazer4691@gmail.com	10451 Bachelor Creek Rd	Auxvasse	Missouri	Missouri	65231	3 CSR 10-8.515: Furbearers: Trapping Seasons	Amend this rule	Full support of extending the thermal season for coyotes. In addition, Im seeing many more raccoons on my property than in the past and many less turkeys seemsto	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The extension of the use of artifical light, night vision, and thermal imagery to hunt coyotes passed and was effective Jan. 1, 2026.

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7/3/2025 15:50	Devon Daniels	Blazer4691@gmail.com	10451 Bachelor Creek Rd	Auxvasse	Missouri	Missouri	65231	3 CSR 10-8.515: Furbearers: Trapping Seasons	Amend this rule	Im in full support of extending the thermal season for coyotes. In addition, im seeing many more raccoons even in the daytime on my property. If they contribute to the turkey decline and combined with fewer hunting dogs and raccoon hunters, I would like to see thermal.allowed to take them as well. Thanks.	This comment was in response to regulation changes pending at the same time the 5-year review comment period was open. The extension of the use of artifical light, night vision, and thermal imagery to hunt coyotes passed and was effective Jan. 1, 2026. Staff continue to review the use of these methods to take other species.